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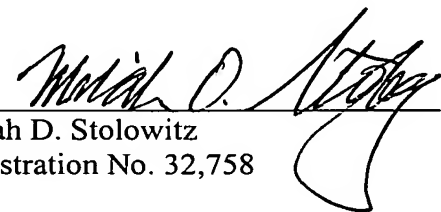
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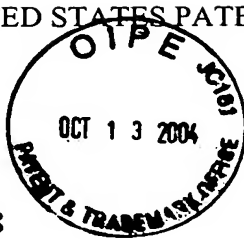
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2. ☐ The Examiner's attention is directed to the enclosed copy of copending U.S. Patent Application No. _____, filed _____, for _____, which is cited in this application.

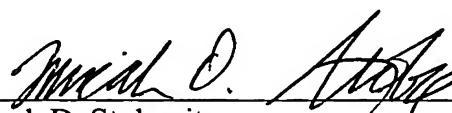
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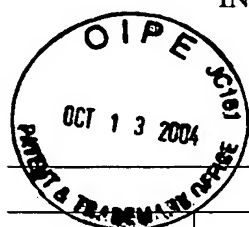
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